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SUBJECT: FAO/OSRO SAHEL PLANNING 1974-75

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1. DAVID SANDS-SMITH, WHO HAS RECENTLY REPLACED WALSGROVE AS SAHEL ACTION OFFICER AT OVERSEAS DEVELOPMENT MINISTRY (ODM), HAS REQUESTED INFORMATION ON US PARTICIPATION IN FAO/OSRO TECHNICAL EVALUATION AND MULTIDONOR MISSIONS (MDM). UK EMBASSY ROME HAS EXPRESSED CONCERN THAT ODM MAY BE GETTING OUT IN FRONT OF OTHER DONORS BECAUSE OF SIZE OF ITS PARTICIPATION. DURING DISCUSSION EMBOFF CITED REFTEL A AS REFLECTION OF US INTEREST IN THE MISSIONS.

2. ACTION: REQUEST LIST OF US REPRESENTATIVES TO TECHNICAL EVALUATION AND MULTIDONOR MISSIONS FOR TRANSMITTAL TO ODM.

3. SANDS-SMITH REPORTS THAT ONLY DONALD KIRKNESS ODM UNDERSECRETARY FOR AFRICA PRESENTLY SCHEDULED TO PARTICIPATE IN MDM AND THAT UK'S 6 MAN TECHNICAL TEAM WILL CONSIST OF EXPERTS IN AGRICULTURE AND STORAGE (PROPOSED FOR MALI), SOCIOLOGY AND LOGISTICS (PROPOSED FOR NIGER) AND NUTRITION AND PORT HANDLING (PROPOSED FOR MAURITANIA).

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